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Sir:

Applicants enclose herewith an Information Disclosure Citation Form (PTO-1449) together with a copy of the cited documents. The provided documents include a Canadian Patent Office Action received in a family CA application to the present case and the CA reference CA 1250528 (2-28-1989) referenced therein. These documents are being submitted without certification.

It is respectfully requested that the cited document be considered by the Examiner in the above-identified patent application and that the cited document be made officially of record therein. It is further requested that a listing of the same appear on the face of any patent which may issue from this application. In the absence of acknowledgement by the Examiner, however, it is respectfully submitted that the CA Office Action and reference be placed to the file.

Respectfully submitted,  
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